



June 21, 2004

Jim Christiansen
On-Scene-Coordinator
EPA Region VIII
999 18th Street, Suite 300
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RE:

2004 Libby Sampling Plan

Administrative Order on Consent for Removal Action The Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company

BNSF Libby Railyard, Libby, Montana

EMR, Inc. Project # 5539

Dear Mr. Christiansen,

EMR, Inc. (EMR), on behalf of the Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company (BNSF), is pleased to submit the attached Scope of Work - 2004 Soil Sampling for Tremolite/Actinolite Impacts revised on 6/21/04.

Upon EPA approval of this plan EMR will schedule and commence the field activities. Following receipt of laboratory data BNSF's consultants will finalize and submit the Remedial Action Work Plan. EMR developed this Scope of Work utilizing Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) from the QAPP developed by CDM for the Libby, Montana Libby Asbestos Remedial Investigation – Contaminant Screening Study (CSS)/Remedial Investigation (RI), SOP No: CDM-LIBBY-05 Revision 1.

Should you have questions regarding the above information, please feel free to call me at (612) 789-2642 or Mr. David Smith of BNSF at (406) 447-2307.

Sincerely,

Tanya Drake Project Coordinator

Attachment (1)

cc Dave Smith - Manager, Environmental Remediation Helena, MT Courtney Zamora, The Volpe Center, Libby, MT Chuck Soule, Kennedy Jenks Consultants, Federal Way, WA David Welch, EMR, Redmond, WA